Postal Notice, Bombay, 17th November 1886.

Dates of departure from Bombay of Mail Steamers for Lamoo, Mombaza, Zanzibar, Kilwakivinje and Lindi.

The following table showing dates of departure from Bombay of the Homeward Mail Steamers with Mails for Lamoo, Mombaza, Zanzibar, Kilwakivinje and Lindi *viâ* Aden, during 1887, is published for the information of the public.

2. The dates of departure of the supplemental Mails for Lamoo, Mombaza, Zanzibar, &c., are in accordance with the Time Table of the Aden, Zanzibar and Lindi Mail Packet Service, the Steamers of which are timed to leave Aden at 2 P. M. on the day the Homeward Overland Mail Steamer from Bombay is due there. The Indian Postal Department, however, will not be responsible for any delay which the correspondence forwarded by that opportunity may sustain at Aden owing to the late arrival of the Bombay Mail at Aden.

Regular Mails.

December	1886	..	..	31	July	1887	..	..	12
January	1887	..	..	28	August	"	..	..	9
February	"	..	..	25	September	"	..	..	6
March	"	..	..	25	October	"	..	..	7
April	"	..	..	22	November	"	..	..	4
May	"	..	..	20	December	"	..	..	2
June	"	..	..	14					

Supplemental Mails.

May	1887	..	..	24
June	"	..	..	21
July	"	..	..	19
August	"	..	..	16
September	"	..	..	13

BANGALORE CENTRAL JAIL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 10th November 1886.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to 1 o'clock on Wednesday the 15th December 1886, by the Superintendent of the Central Jail, Bangalore, for the supply, by contract, of all kinds of *Wool* and *other articles* required for the use of Jail manufactures from 1st January to 31st December 1887, both days inclusive.

2. No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 250 in cash or currency notes.

3. Tenders will be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of manufacture articles" for the Bangalore Central Jail.

4. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent of the Central Jail at his office on the date above named in the presence of such tenderers or their authorized agents who may choose to attend.

5. The Superintendent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

6. All tenders must specify the rate at which the various articles can be supplied of good quality according to the annexed form.

7. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained, and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond, or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 500 in cash or Government bonds within one week from the date of the acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

8. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor during the month, but payments will be made for the articles supplied by the Superintendent of Central Jail as soon as possible, after the 1st of each month.

9. The contract must not be sublet.

10. A fine not exceeding Rs. 30 will be levied at the discretion of the Superintendent of the Central Jail for any infringement of the stipulation of the contract or for the supply of any inferior

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articles, and if frequently violated, the contract may be annulled and the security confiscated to Government.

11. The decision of the Superintendent of the Central Jail, to be final in all questions of infringement of contract.

12. A store-room will be given to the contractor to place all the non-perishable articles, and to issue when requisition is made.

13. Any further information can be obtained by applying at the Superintendent's Office.

14. This contract will be subject to the confirmation of the Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore.

List showing the various articles required for the use of Jail manufactures for 1887.

Articles.	Rate per Maund of 25 lbs.	Articles.	Rate per—
Thin English twine in packs of 3 lbs..		Cocoanut fibre (Best) (Calicut). Per maund of 25 lbs..	
Thick English ball twine, (Bengal) ..		Pundi fibre (white) do ..	
Sheet, Glue ..		Best bullock shined and tanned, hide free from holes .. each.	
Stick, Glue ..		Do common do do ..	
Thin country twine; (Bengal) ..		Large sheep skins do do ..	
Galnuts		Boiled linseed oil, per bottle of 2½ seers ..	
Fuller's earth in cakes.. ..		Turpentine oil do do ..	
Bettle-nut..		Copal Varnish do do ..	
Kanch		Black Japan do do ..	
Copper sheets of various thickness ..		Best French polish do do ..	
Brass sheets do ..		Camphor (dry) per lb.	
Alum		Printing black ink, per lb. tin ..	
Beeswax, (Yellow) ..		Do red do do ..	
Firewood (split in small strips) ..		Thick book binding, calico, per yard ..	
Lac (Pegu or Rangoon) free from sticks		White cricketting flannel do ..	
Red wood (split in small strips) ..		Bleached broad thick malmal do ..	
Chalk (white)		Broad thick Turkey red cloth do ..	
Best Indigo		1 ft. Broad tent gunny for bags, per yard..	
Best Tar		Navy canvass No. I do ..	
Wood oil		Do No. II do ..	
Yellow ochre or gopi		Do No. III do ..	
Pure cocoanut-oil		White mule twist cotton No. 10, per bale of 300 lbs..	
Pure gingelly-oil		Do No. 20 do ..	
Pure lamp-oil		White cotton No. 30, per pack of 5 lbs. ..	
Best white rattan, 1st sort ..		Do No. 40 do ..	
Tamarind (free from dirts) ..		Red cotton No. 40 do ..	
Country soap in cakes		Yellow cotton No. 40 do ..	
Yellow flower		Green cotton No. 40 do ..	
White gum (free from dirts) ..		*1st White clipped wool (Mandya) per Maund of 25 lbs..	
Dhobi sand		*2nd Do do do ..	
Sodering or kulloying lead ..		*1st Black clipped wool (Chitaldroog) do..	
Borax		*2nd Do do do ..	
Salamoniac		*Chunam or scraped black wool do ..	
Asphalt		*Fawn wool .. do do ..	
Paddy husks		*The wool is subject to be cleaned, picked, beaten out and washed before use	
Indigo seed		Timber, teak, honne, black or rose wood in logs per c. ft. of various dimensions..	
Wheat flour (Best)			
Charcoal (Best in bags) rate per bag.			
Hemp thread, in balls, per dozen balls			

All other sundry articles appertaining to manufacture articles, such as eyelets, buckles, screws, hinges, locks, &c., to be supplied regularly.

The 10th November 1886.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received up to 10th December 1886, by the Superintendent, Central Jail, for the supply by contract of all articles of diet, &c., required for the use of the prisoners confined in the Bangalore Central Jail and District Lock-up from 1st January to 31st December 1887, both days inclusive.

2. No tenders will be received after the date above mentioned.

3. Tenders to be superscribed "Tenders for the supply of provisions for the Central Jail and District Lock-up."

4. No tenders will be received unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 500 in cash or currency notes.

5. Tenders will be opened by the Superintendent, Central Jail, at his office on the date above named, in the presence of such tenderers as may choose to attend.

6. All tenders must specify separately the rate per convict per diem for the following classes, *viz* :—

1.	Native laboring convicts	A class.
2.	Do do	B class.
3.	Do short term	C class.
4.	Native non-laboring males, females and under-trials	D class.
5.	Juveniles and infirms	E class.
6.	Europeans and East Indians.	

The estimated daily average number of convicts for 1887 is about 600.

7. The rates tendered must, in addition to the articles specified in the diet scales, include the articles detailed below.

The contractor will supply ragi grain to be ground by convicts into flour for issue.

8. The Superintendent reserves to himself the right of rejecting any tender without assigning any reason for so doing.

9. The deposit of the successful competitor will be retained and will be forfeited if he fails to execute the contract bond, or to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 1,500 in cash or Government bonds within one week from the date of the acceptance of his contract being made known to him.

10. No advance of cash will be made to the contractor. Payments for the articles supplied will be made by the Superintendent, Central Jail, as soon as possible, after the 1st of each month.

11. A store-room will be made over to the contractor in which he can keep all non-perishable articles. Perishable articles, such as meat, &c., must be at the Jail by 8 A. M. daily.

12. The contract must not be sub-let.

13. A fine not exceeding Rs. 150 will be levied at the discretion of the Superintendent of the Central Jail for any infringement of the stipulation of the contract, or for the supply of any inferior articles, and, if frequently violated, the contract may be annulled, and the security confiscated to Government.

14. The decision of the Superintendent of the Central Jail to be final in all questions of infringement of contract.

15. The contractor will be bound to purchase vegetables from the Jail garden for the use of the prisoners at 50 lbs. per rupee.

16. Any further information can be obtained by applying to the Superintendent's Office.

17. This contract will be subject to the confirmation of the Inspector General of Prisons in Mysore.

18. In case the contractor after taking the contract is not willing to carry out his agreement, he shall give at least one month's notice and shall forfeit the security money to Government. The contractor will also be bound to make good to Government any loss which may arise from his failure or by Government having to purchase the articles specified in the contract in the local markets at higher rates than those contracted for.

N. B.—No concessions of any description will be allowed in the above contract.

Articles (*Para* 7.)

1. Barrels, wooden, for conveying and keeping water, including repairs.
2. Tubs, zinc and wooden, and ropes for drawing water.
3. Brass or copper pots for convicts' messes, including repairs and tinning.
4. Pots for drinking, &c.
5. Lotas and plates.
6. Huddahs with slings and pots.
7. Chatties and charcoal, &c. required for filters.
8. Iron plates for baking cakes.
9. Mill stones with pegs and dressing the same.
10. Wooden mortar and pestles.
11. Sieves, muslin sifters, winnows, rice strainers and ladles, &c.
12. Mats, baskets or trays, gunny bags, dál grinders and stirring sticks for cooks.
13. Metal spoons for European and East Indian convicts.
14. Bread, milk, sugar, rice, &c. for children of convicts.
15. Tubs for refuse and barrels for urinals. Urinals pots and tarring the same.
16. Tubs and basins for cleaning ragi.
17. Baskets for latrine and dry earth.
18. Brooms.
19. Razors including sharpening hone and strop.
20. Combs for female convicts.
21. Soap for European and East Indian convicts.
22. Cowdung for cleaning floors and chunam for conservancy purposes.
23. Grease for Jail cart.
24. Sulphur and frankincense, &c. for fumigation.
25. Lighting the Jail, Jail Hospital, Police and Military guard rooms, &c., and supply of kerosine-oil and lamp-oil including supply of chimneys and wicks, lanterns with burners and repairing the same; scissors and chalk for cleaning the same.
26. Fullers earth, pots and firewood for dhobis.
27. Zinc tickets with strings.
28. Oil for female convicts.
29. Curry stones with rollers.
30. Soap-nut or sigekayi.
31. All other sundry articles appertaining to diet of prisoners to be supplied regularly.
32. Hospital perishable articles including wine, spirits, beer, &c., and all other articles required for Hospital generally.

Table of Diet for all Classes of Native Prisoners in Mysore.

Articles.	(A) scale for men sentenced to more than two years' rigorous imprisonment.							(B) scale for men sentenced to more than six months and up to two years' rigorous imprisonment.							Men sentenced to rigorous imprisonment for six months and under.							Simple, women and under-trial.							Juvenile Prisoners.						
	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.	Sunday.
	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.
Rice	0	12	0	12	0	12	0	0	12	0	12	0	12	0	0	12	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	10	0	0	0	10	0
Ragi	26	13	26	13	26	13	26	24	12	24	12	24	12	24	24	12	24	24	24	12	24	20	20	20	20	20	20	0	20	10	20	20	20	10	20
Dál or ballar ..	4	2	4	2	4	2	4	4	2	4	2	4	2	4	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Meat (with bone) ..	0	4	0	4	0	4	0	0	3	0	3	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	0
Tyre	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	8	0	0	5	0	0	0	5	0
Gingelly-oil	0	¼	0	¼	0	¼	0	0	¼	0	¼	0	¼	0	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	0	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	0	1/16	1/16
Ghee	0	⅜	0	⅜	0	⅜	0	0	⅜	0	⅜	0	⅜	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1/16	0	0	0	1/16	0	0
Tamarind	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜
Salt	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½	½
Curry-powder ..	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜	⅜
Onions	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16
Garlic	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/64	1/64	1/64	1/64	1/64	1/64	1/64
Vegetables	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Firewood*	1½ or 2 lbs. daily.							1½ or 2 lbs. daily.							1½ or 2 lbs. daily.							1½ or 2 lbs. daily.							1½ or 2 lbs. daily.						

Men who do not eat meat to get 4 oz. of dál and 8 drams of ghee on meat days.

2 drams of salt to be issued powdered and eaten when sprinkled over the food.

*Where closed fire places are in use, 1½ lbs. of firewood will be served out, where open fire places, 2 lbs.

Men who do not eat meat, to get 3 oz. of dál and 8 drams of ghee on meat days.

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Women and juveniles, to get tyre if sentenced over six months; under-trial prisoners, tyre and meat if over two months in confinement.

Rice may be given entirely to any under-trial prisoner unaccustomed to ragi, and to any one whom ragi disagrees with, at recommendation of Medical officer.

Juveniles under 14 years, to get 16 oz. of grain and 2 oz. of meat.

N. B.—Late admissions to receive 8 oz. of bread or hoppers. A half ration to be issued for breakfast the following day.

Diet Scale for European and Eurasian Prisoners.

Ordinary (B) scale : for laboring Convicts.

Articles.	Sunday.	Monday.	Tuesday.	Wednesday.	Thursday.	Friday.	Saturday.
	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.	oz.
Bread ...	12	12	12	12	12	12	12
Meat ...	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Rice ...	8	8	8	8	8	8	8
Vegetables ...	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
Salt ...	¾	¾	¾	¾	¾	¾	¾
Onions ...	½	½	½	½	½	½	½
Curry-powder ...	⅜	0	⅜	0	⅜	0	⅜
Pepper ...	0	⅜	0	⅜	0	⅜	0
Dál ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Ghee ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tamarind ...	½	0	½	0	½	0	½
Lime Pickle ...	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛
Sugar ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Coffee ...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Milk ...	½ Pint daily.						
Firewood ...	2 lbs. daily.						

Other scales.

Full (A) scale for long term convicts at *hard* labor—as B scale except

	oz.
Bread ...	16
Meat ...	10
Vegetables ...	12
Ghee ...	1½

For *non-labor, under-trial* and *under 7 days' sentence*—as B scale except

	oz.
Bread ...	8
Meat ...	6
Vegetables ...	8
Rice ...	6

Punishment diet, Bread 1 lb. Water 2 pints.

Females : For all long term convicted prisoners.

On curry days.	oz.	*On stew days.*	oz.
Bread ...	12	...	12
Meat ...	6	...	6
Vegetables ...	8	...	8
Rice ...	8	...	8
Dál ...	1	...	1
Ghee ...	1	...	1

The other ingredients the same as for males.

Medium or B scale : for short term, under-trial or non-labor.

On curry days.	oz.	*On stew days.*	oz.
Bread ...	8	...	8
Meat ...	4	...	4
Vegetables ...	8	...	8
Rice ...	6	...	6
Dál ...	1	...	1
Ghee ...	1	...	1

The other ingredients the same as above.

Food to be cooked as *stew* on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.
Do do as *curry* on Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.
4 Drams of salt to be issued powdered and eaten with the food.
Half of the vegetables to be potatoes.
Coffee to be made with 1 pint of water.
Late Admissions to receive 1 pint of soji gruel (4 oz. of soji and 2 oz. of sugar) or pepper water and rice (½lb.) or ½ lb. of bread instead.
The full or (A) scale not to be given except for health reasons.

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